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SUBJECT:ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS FOR US/MEXICO  
FISHERIES NEGOTIATIONS

1. DEPT. ANTICIPATES THAT USG/GOM FISHERIES NEGOTIATIONS WILL BEGIN MAY 17 IN MEXICO CITY. WE WILL CONFIRM THIS WITH GOM DELEGATION DURING EXPLORATORY TALKS IN NEW YORK APRIL 26-27.

2. U.S. DELEGATION WILL BE HEADED BY AMBASSADOR ROZANNE L. RIDGWAY, DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR OCEANS AND FISHERIES AFFAIRS AND WILL CONSIST OF APPROXIMATELY 35 INDIVIDUALS FROM DEPARTMENTS OF STATE AND COMMERCE, FISHERY OFFICIALS FROM STATE OF CALIFORNIA AND GULF COAST STATES, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF COMMERCIAL AND RECREATIONAL FISHERIES INTERESTS IN BOTH GULF AND PACIFIC. DEPT. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY RESERVING BLOCK OF ROOMS AT MARIA ISABELL SHERATON HOTEL. IT IS DIFFICULT AT THIS TIME TO ASCERTAIN JUST HOW MUCH TIME WILL BE NECESSARY TO COMPLETE NEGOTIATIONS, BUT ROOMS SHOULD BE RESERVED FROM MAY 15 THROUGH 28 AS MAXIMUM TIME NECESSARY. POSSIBLE ADJUSTMENTS IF NECESSARY AND SPECIFIC NAMES

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WILL BE PROVIDED SEPTTEL.

3. DELEGATION WILL REQUIRE THREE OFFICES AS WORKING SPACE FOR USG PERSONNEL AND MEETING ROOM TO ACCOMMODATE ENTIRE DELEGATION FOR MEETINGS AT VARIOUS TIMES THROUGHOUT EACH DAY. ALSO, DEPT. ANTICIPATES THAT TWO SECRETARIES WILL BE NECESSARY TO PROVIDE RATHER EXTENSIVE SUPPORT TO DELEGATION. DEPT. WOULD APPRECIATE DESIGNATION OF CONTROL OFFICER FOR THIS NEGOTIATION. SISCO

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